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On the forenoon of 29th, the budget will be presented. From 1st to 5th of July, there will be general discussion on the budget. From 6th up to 24th, there will be voting of Demands for Grants. 25th and 26th will be devoted for the consideration of the Demands for Excess Grants, and on the 26th there will also be the consideration of the Appropriation Bill. Thus, if we meet on 24th June, we will have to sit till 26th July. This is the tentative programme agreed to in the Business Advisory Committee. I hope hon. Members will so adjust their programme as to make it possible for them to attend the session.

To enable the House to sit during cooler hours, as was suggested by one hon. Member, the Business Advisory Committee decided also that we could have the sittings between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. except on the day of the presentation of the budget on which day the House will meet at 11 a.m.

IX.—GOVERNMENT MOTION *RE* ASSOCIATION OF MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL WITH (1) ESTIMATES, (2) PUBLIC ACCOUNTS, AND (3) SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE.

(1) ESTIMATES COMMITTEE.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM: The association of the Members of the Upper Chamber with the deliberations of the Estimates Committee, the Public Accounts Committee and the Committee on Subordinate Legislation is a matter which has been pending for a long time. It will be helpful, if they also are associated. But they will not have the right to vote in cases where a vote is taken, because the powers of the Upper Chamber in respect of financial matters are limited. But I do not think we have resorted to voting for the purpose of arriving at decisions in these committees. Still, if it comes to voting, the Members of the Upper Chamber will not have the right to vote.

Sir, I move—

"This House recommends to the Legislative Council that they do nominate five members from the Council to associate with the Committee on Estimates of this House for every financial year and communicate to this House the names of the members so nominated."

MR. SPEAKER: Motion moved—

"This House recommends to the Legislative Council that they do nominate five members from the Council to associate with the Committee on Estimates of this House for every financial year and communicate to this House the names of the members so nominated."

SRI M. KALYANASUNDARAM: இந்தத் தீர்மானத்தை நான் வரவேற்கிறேன். கவுன்சில் அங்கத்தினர்களின் ஒத்துழைப்பும் அவர்களுடைய யோசனைகளும் Public Accounts Committee, Estimates Committee முதலிய கமிட்டிகளுக்குக் கிடைப்பது நல்லது என்றுதான் நான் கருதுகிறேன். கனம் மந்திரி அவர்கள் nomination என்ற வார்த்தையை

உபயோகப்படுத்தினார்கள். ஆகையால் மேல்சபையால் அங்கத்தினர்கள் தேர்ந்தெடுக்கப்படுவார்களா, அல்லது அந்தச் சபையின் அக்கிராசனர் அங்கத்தினர்களை நியமனம் செய்வார்களா என்பதை அறிய விரும்புகிறேன்.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : சபையால் **nomination** செய்யப்படுவார்கள்.

SRI M. KALYANASUNDARAM : ஆகவே, இந்தத் தீர்மானத்திற்கு எந்த விதமான ஆட்சேபணையுமில்லை. இதை நான் வரவேற்கிறேன்.

SRI N. K. PALANISAMI : I oppose the Motion.

MR. SPEAKER : The question is—

"This House recommends to the Legislative Council, that they do nominate five members from the Council to associate with the Committee on Estimates of this House for every financial year and communicate to the House the names of the members so nominated."

The motion was put and carried.

(2) COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : Sir, I move—

"This House recommends to the Legislative Council, that they do nominate five members from the Council to associate with the Committee on Public Accounts of this House for every financial year and communicate to the House the names of the members so nominated."

MR. SPEAKER :—The question is—

"This House recommends to the Legislative Council, that they do nominate five members from the Council to associate with the Committee on Public Accounts of this House for every financial year and communicate to the House the names of the members so nominated."

The motion was put and carried.

(3) COMMITTEE ON SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : Sir, I move—

"This House recommends to the Legislative Council that they do nominate three members from the Council to associate with the Committee on Subordinate Legislation of this House for every financial year and communicate to this House the names of the members so nominated."

MR. SPEAKER :—The question is—

"This House recommends to the Legislative Council, that they do nominate three members from the Council to associate with